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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 9 October 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room
Morning*	3122nd meeting	Security Council Chamber

* Following the adjournment of the consultations of the whole.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	31st PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	32nd PLENARY MEETING	

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization: reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/1, A/47/277-S/24111) [10].

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Election of Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur
2. Organization of work (A/SPC/47/1 and A/SPC/47/L.1)
3. Science and peace (A/SPC/47/L.2) [70]

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	informal meeting	Conference Room 2

Adressess by Mr. Enrique Iglesias, President of the Inter-American Development Bank, on the subject of "The international economic context and the future of development" and Professor John H. Dunning, Professor of International Business Studies at the University of Reading (United Kingdom) and Professor of International Business at Rutgers University (U.S.A), on the subject of "Transnational Corporations in the world economy: changing role and policy issues", followed by a question-and-answer period.

11.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	10th meeting	Conference Room 2

Development and international economic cooperation (Part I) [78]

(c) New and renewable sources of energy (A/47/36, Supplement No. 36, A/47/390)

(d) Development of the energy resources of developing countries (A/47/202-E/1992/51, A/47/390)

(e) International cooperation to mitigate the environmental consequences on Kuwait and other countries in the region resulting from the situation between Iraq and Kuwait (A/47/265-E/1992/81)

Introductory statements and general discussion

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	11th meeting	Conference Room 2

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Conclusion of general discussion

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [91] (A/47/18, A/47/425, A/426, A/47/432, A/47/480, A/47/481)

2. Right of peoples to self-determination [92] (A/47/391, A/47/412, A/47/433)

General discussion

SIXTH COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON THE CONVENTION ON JURISDICTIONAL IMMUNITIES OF STATES AND THEIR PROPERTY (ITEM 130)

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	4th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 6

OTHER MEETINGS

1992 UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

10 a.m-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE: INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

5.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 12 October 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	33rd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	34th PLENARY MEETING	

Conclusion of the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/415) [93 (a)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 4
3 p.m.	4th meeting	

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	11th meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	12th meeting	

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	12th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Open-ended informal consultations on the additional protocol on consular functions to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations (item 135)

Afternoon*	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

* Following the adjournment of the 12th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

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Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

The Third Committee will hold its 8th and 9th meetings on Wednesday, 14 October 1992, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m., to continue and conclude its joint consideration of agenda items 91 and 92.

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

The next meeting of the Fifth Committee will be held on Tuesday, 13 October 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the joint debate on agenda items 106 (Current financial crisis of the United Nations), 107 (Financial emergency) and 124 (Financing of United Nations peace-keeping operations), and for the debate agenda item 110 (Pattern of conferences) are requested to contact the Secretariat (tel.: 963-0554).

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The PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS will convene on Thursday, 22 October 1992, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

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Conclusion of the United Nations Decade for Disabled Persons

The General Assembly will mark the conclusion of the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons with four plenary meetings to be held on Monday and Tuesday, 12 and 13 October 1992.

To ensure that the meetings are fully accessible to all participants, the Secretariat invites Member States requiring special arrangements for disabled persons in their delegations, kindly to communicate their requests to Ms. Stephani Scheer, Office of Conference Services, room S-1530B, telephone 963-6550, by Friday, 9 October 1992, at the latest. Delegations requiring sign language interpretation are asked to inform the Secretariat whether they wish to be provided with *American Sign Language* or with *Gestuno* interpretation. Due to technical constraints, it will not be possible to accommodate additional requests received after Friday, 9 October.

The Secretariat wishes to inform Member States that the report of the Secretary-General, entitled "Implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons and the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons" (A/47/415), will be available on Friday, 9 October, on audio cassettes in all official languages for the visually impaired. Cassettes can be obtained from Ms. Scheer, room S-1530B.

Delegations who wish to make a statement and who have not yet done so are invited to inscribe themselves on the list of speakers at 963-2344. Delegations are invited to communicate to the Secretariat whether any special arrangements will be needed in conjunction with the delivery of the statements.

In order to allow early distribution of prepared texts of speeches *in particular to sign-language interpreters*, Member States are urged to submit copies *one day in advance* of delivery to the Conference Officer in the General Assembly Hall. On the day of delivery of the speech, 350 copies should be submitted to the Conference Officer.

The Secretariat wishes to inform Member States that, during the four meetings, volunteers of the American Red Cross will be available to provide assistance, if requested. The Conference Officer will coordinate such assistance.

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Observance of the Day of Solidarity with South African Policital Prisoners

The Special Committee against Apartheid will hold its 661st meeting in Observance of the Day of Solidarity with South African Political Prisoners on Monday, 12 October 1992 at 10.30 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The meeting will be addressed, among others, by the President of the General Assembly, the President of the Security Council, the Secretary-General and the representatives of the African National Congress of South Africa (ANC) and the Pan Africanist Congress of Azania (PAC).

As part of the observance of the Day of Solidarity, the Special Committee is organizing a roundtable on the theme "The Role of law enforcement and law enforcement officials during the transition period and after". Experts from inside and outside South Africa will participate in the roundtable. The roundtable will convene on Monday, 12 October 1992, at 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

All delegates and representatives of the specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations are invited to attend both meetings.

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OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a meeting of the COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON ALIGNED COUNTRIES on Monday, 12 October 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 8 October 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3121st meeting

The situation in Georgia

Letter dated 6 October 1992 from the First Deputy Foreign Minister of Georgia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24619)

The Council adopted its agenda without objection.

The President of the Council, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Georgia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President made a statement (S/24637) on behalf of the Council.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

30th plenary meeting

Conclusion of the general debate [9]

His Excellency the Honourable Major General Sitiveni Rabuka, Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji, addressed the General Assembly.

The Assembly heard a statement by H.E. the Honourable John Kaputin, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Papua New Guinea.

His Excellency the Honourable Maxime Carlot Korman, Prime Minister of the Republic of Vanuatu, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 9.

The President made a statement.

Programme of work

The President reminded representatives that the General Assembly would begin its discussion of agenda item 10 (Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization) on Friday, 9 October, in the morning.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE — 2nd meeting

Election of the Vice-Chairmen and the Rapporteur

The Chairman made an opening statement. The Committee elected Mr. Pasí Patokallio (Finland) and Mr. Dae Won Suh (Republic of Korea) as Vice-Chairmen and Mr. Jerzy Zaleski (Poland) as Rapporteur.

The representative of Uruguay made a statement in his capacity as Chairman of the Latin American and Caribbean Group.

Statements were also made by representatives of the Phillippines, Turkey, Uruguay, Finland, the Republic of Korea and Poland.

Organization of work

The Committee had before it a letter from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman, concerning the allocation of agenda items to the First Committee (A/C.1/47/1), and a document containing the programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/47/2).

The Committee adopted its programme of work and timetable as proposed by the Chairman (A/C.1/47/2)

The representative of Indonesia made a statement on behalf of the Group of Non-Aligned Countries.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

SECOND COMMITTEE — 8th meeting

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Ghana, Mauritania (also on behalf of Algeria, Morocco, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and Tunisia), Slovenia, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Belarus, the United Arab Emirates, Zaire, Nicaragua, the Republic of Korea and Nigeria.

9th meeting

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Malta, Fiji, Israel, Kazakhstan and Australia.

Upon a proposal by the Group of 77, the Committee then entered into a dialogue with the representatives of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund and interventions were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States), Austria, Argentina, India, the Netherlands, the Philippines, Poland, the Congo, Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), the Gambia, Finland, Benin, Mexico, Morocco, Senegal, Egypt and Mauritania.

The Chairman of the Committee summarized the general debate.

The Comittee thus concluded its general debate.

THIRD COMMITTEE 5th meeting

Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [91]

Right of peoples to self-determination [92]

The Committee resumed its joint consideration of the items and heard statements by the representatives of Hungary, Peru, Indonesia, China, Turkey, Liechstenstein and Belarus.

Organization of work

The representatives of the Russian Federation and the Dominican Republic made statements.

6th meeting

The Committee resumed its joint consideration of agenda items 91 and 92 and heard statements by the representatives of Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the States members of the Caribbean Community), the Russian Federation, Malaysia, Bahrain, Lithuania (on behalf also of Estonia and Latvia), Mauritania, Bangladesh and Slovenia.

The representatives of Estonia, Latvia and the Russian Federation spoke in the exercise of the right of reply.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 11th meeting

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [127]

Statements were made by the representatives of Israel, Turkey, Pakistan, Mozambique, Togo, the Russian Federation, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Belarus, Ukraine, the United States and Zambia.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Status of Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflict [126]

It was announced that Belarus had joined the cosponsors of draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.3.

The representative of Sweden introduced draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.3.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution were made by the representatives of the United States and Israel.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

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COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 7 OCTOBER 1992

42nd and 43rd meetings

Question of urgent appeals [11]

The Committee considered the item.

Future studies [12]

The Committee concluded its consideration of the item.

Other meetings [14]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

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United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD
Thirty-ninth session (First part)
United Nations Office of Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 7 OCTOBER 1992

813th plenary meeting

International implications of macro-economic policies and issues concerning interdependence: the recent evolution of development problems and prospects [3]

Mr. S. Abrahamian, Officer-in-charge of the Ressources for Development Programmes, responded to points raised by the representative of the International Monetary Fund at the 810th plenary meeting, concerning the *Trade and Development Report 1992*

The President presented orally a summing up of the debate and the informal discussions held under this item.

The Board approved by consensus the President's summing up and decided to incorporate it in the final report of the Board, where appropriate.

The Board thus concluded its consideration of this item.

Export promotion: report of the Joint Advisory Group on the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/GATT on its twenty-fifth session [10 (a)]

The Board continued its consideration of this item. Statements were made by the representatives of Bangladesh (on behalf of the Asian Group), Egypt (on behalf of the African Group) Poland, the United States, Brazil, Chile, the United Kindgom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States), Cuba, Malaysia, Peru, Italy, Argentina, Germany, China, Switzerland and Canada.

Following an exchange of views put forward by the representatives of Italy, the United States, Chile and Brazil, the Board agreed that the President should hold consultations with members of the Board, as well as with the GATT, and report on the results of those consultations to the Board at its current session.

Follow-up to the recommendations adopted by the Conference at its eighth session [2]

The Deputy to the Secretary-General of UNCTAD, Mr. Carlos Fortin, made an introductory statement in which he recalled the action taken by the Board during its preliminary consideration of this item at its pre-sessional Executive session.

Statements were made by the representatives of China, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States), Japan, Sweden (also on behalf of Denmark, Finland and Norway), Chile and the United States.

Under rule 77 of the rules of procedure, the observer of the International Confederation of Free Trade Unions also made a statement.

The Secretary-General of UNCTAD provided clarification in connection with questions raised by the representatives of the United States and Japan.

The Board took note of the report given by the Deputy to the Secretary-General of UNCTAD in his introductory statement and decided that the question of the follow-up to UNCTAD VIII, in the context of the decisions taken by the Board at its Executive session concerning the monitoring and follow-up to the substantive recommendations of the conference, would be pursued during consultations on the draft provisional agenda for the second part of the thirty-ninth session of the Board.

The Board thus concluded its consideration of item 2.

SPECIAL SESSIONAL COMMITTEE — 3rd meeting

Review of progress in the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s [7]

The Special Sessional Committee continued its consideration of this item. Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States), India and Bangladesh.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Marshall Island (8 October 1992)*

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Ratification: Marshall Island (8 October 1992)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pass and Identification Office

The Pass and Identification Office (Room GA-100) will be closed from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. as of Monday, 12 October 1992.

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